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STOCKS HELD FIRM, THOUGH QUIET.

Big Operators, Satisfied with Forcing the Shorts Battle as to the Distribution to Cover, Were Not Aggressive in Their Operations.

Trading was not particularly brisk in the stock market, although it was apparent that the insiders were prepared to resist any attack by the traders. Steel and iron stocks were the features. Local securities quieted down after the franchise tax scare had worn off.

Wall Street, May 3. | 1 Lou & N unified 4s. interests having forced most of the to cover were apparently not in-Specialities received considerable he traders the list generally sold

Philadelphia Market. Sugar Tru L Puts Up Prices.

of \$6,000,000 Margin Is Only Just Begun.

There is to be a bitter fight by the Equitable Life Assurance Society in de-fending itself against the decision of the

that the matter would be at once carried to the Court of Appeals, where, it was

merits it will involve about \$6,000,000 surplus retained by the company for a specifled purpose. It will be years before a

Emil Greef, a wealthy manufacturer at fifteen-year policy in the Equitable. If he survived the life of the policy he was to vision of the net surplus profits of the company. Greef outlived his policy and presented is for payment. He received a little more than \$3,000 above the face value of his policy.

This sum was accepted under protest.

the insured holding that he had been paid only a part of his share of the net surplus and that he was really entitled to about \$10,000. He based his claim upon

change weak. Actual rates: Sterling, ca-bles, 4.875,614.88; demand, 4.875,614.875; w slxty days, 4.875,614.855; francs, checks, 5.175, and 1-16; sixty days, 5.165, and 1-16; S Refebsuarks, demand, 355; slxty days, 0.04,6044.13-16. Railway gross earnings for the fourth ci-

the unos months ending March 31, the gross carnings were 8342,760, a decrease of \$19,754 as compared with the corresponding period of last year, and net \$212,697, a decrease of \$149,844.



ALFRED DE CORDOVA.

EW men in Wall Street have been identified with operators than Alfred de Cordova, Such old traders as Addison Cammack, Charles J. Osborn and Charles F. Woerishoffer frequently made their big "turns" in stocks through his ner being Howell Gabarn. In 1881 Mr. Osborn withdrew, and the firm of Alfred de Cordora & Co. then inmembership.

BETTER FOREIGN NEWS HELPED WHEAT.

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All matters of controversy between the Brooklyn and another the state of the stat

The Insurance Man Becomes President of the Automobile Company.

Croker, Jr., is the vice-president and gen-eral manager, and A. H. Alden, of the New

ON THE CURB.

May 3.

Official Real Estate Transfers for

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Good, Low Priced Copper Stocks

DIG DEMAND FOR HIGH-CLASS HOMES.

Cigarette Manufacturer Francis S. Kinney Buys A other Fine Property in Madison Avenue-Plenty of Bidders at the Auction Room.

HAT the demand for high-class residences in certain sections of Manhattan Island is steadily keeping ahead of the supply, as was told in the Journal last Sunday and in various previous issues, received fresh confirmation No. 57 East Seventy-fourth street. It is one of a row of eight, which Jeremiah C. Lyons is erecting on the north side of Seventy-fourth street, between Madison prospective buyers are negotiating for them in such numbers that Lalor & Berringer, the brokers who have charge of their sale, are confident that they will

Klimey has bought the four-story dwelling, lot 25x75, No. 578 Madison arenue. A fortnight ago he purchased the similar house and lot. No. 576, and he at least owned Nos. 574 and 572. This purchased where the similar house has a plot 93 11x75, and he the two new five-story stone front A ready owned Nos. 574 and 572. This purchase gives him a plot 99.11x75, and he has and onneed his intention to build a lofty Nos. 40.4

Furniture Dealer Maxwell E. Mannes has sold the vacant plot. 51.7x45.2x51.1x37.9. The features of the outside market were Seventy-eighth street. Charles E. Schuyler i

Mrs. Cohn has also bought No. 658 East
Thirteenth street, lot 25x100.3. The plot
160.85x62.3, on the northeast corner of
Madison avenue and Ninetieth street, which
Mrs. Cohn purchased on Tuesday from the
executors of Mary McNulty, was a farm
for many years and this is the first transfer
of the property in seventy years. The
purchase price is said to be about \$80,000,
and a ten-story apartment house will be
erected there. Mrs. Cohn has sold No. 200
Henry street, lot 23.10x100, to Rosa Jack
son.

Bernard Smyth & Sons have sold the vadated in the north side of One Hundred
and Eleventh street, 100 feet west of Seventh avenue, by Ida E. Moore, at a cost of
\$100,000.

Tark & Tilford are to build an eight-story
brick warehouse, 60x18x9, costing \$100,000,
at Nos. 152 to 156 West Thirty-sixth street,
It will be occupied as a storage house, from
which thelv retail stores will be supplied.
The city is to erect a two-story brick
hospital, 48x85, on Blackwell's Island. 15
will cost \$23,000.

IGARETTE Manufacturer Francis S. dred and Twenty-second street, for Clara

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